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SUBJECT: FY'05-MRP: "Grassroots Democracy I" November 11- December 2, 2004

REF: SECSTATE 100131

START FIXED-FORMAT TEXT (PLEASE DO NOT EDIT):

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EXPORT-SOURCE: POST-EVDB

VERSION: 3.0.7

POST-EMAIL: MetaAK@state.gov

TRANSMITTING-POST: PAS Kinshasa

TRANSMITTING-POST-ID: 4307

EXPORT-TYPE: BIO DATA

START NOMINATION:

ECA-OFFICE: E/VP

PROG-AGENCY-NAME: Meridian International Center

POST-PROJ-ID: 40

ECA-PROJ-NO: E/VM-2005-0005

PROJ-NAME: Grassroots Democracy I FY'05

START MEMO PROJ-DESC:

The project will demonstrate how citizen participation in the  
democratic process at the grassroots level can influence  
political, social, and economic change.

END MEMO PROJ-DESC:

PROJ-TYPE: Multi-Regional

PROG-TYPE: IV Group Projects

FY: 2005

DEPART-POST: 11/08/2004

SESSION-DATE: 11/11/2004

RETURN-POST: 12/03/2004

NO-OF-PART: 1

RANK-ORDER: 0

START MEMO POST-OBJ:

END MEMO POST-OBJ:

START MEMO POST-RCMD:

END MEMO POST-RCMD:

ECA-OFFICE-ID: 1027

PROG-AGENCY-ID: 1287

PROJ-TYPE-ID: MRP

PROG-TYPE-ID: 31

NOMINATING-POST-ID: 4307

FUNDING-CNTRY-ID:

STATUS: N

ORIGINATOR: U

SUBJ-DISC: Grassroots Democracy

START BIO:

PREFIX: Mr.

F-NAME: Martin

M-NAME: Madidi

L-NAME: Fayulu

SUFFIX:

POSITION-CODE: 313

PRINCIPAL? Yes

GENDER: M

DOB: 11/21/1956

MAR-STAT: M

BIRTH-CITY: Kinshasa

BIRTH-CNTRY: Democratic Republic of Congo

CITIZ-CNTRY: Democratic Republic of Congo

RES-CNTRY: Democratic Republic of Congo

START MEMO POSITION:

Dealer Shell

END MEMO POSITION:

START MEMO OTHER-POSITIONS:

President of Institute for Freedom and Democracy

END MEMO OTHER-POSITIONS:

START MEMO PREV-POSITIONS:

1999-2003: General Manager, EXXONMOBIL, Ethiopia/Mali

1984-1998: Manager, Mobil Oil (Democratic Republic of Congo,  
United States of America, Ivory Coast, Kenya, and Nigeria.

END MEMO PREV-POSITIONS:

START MEMO US-TRAVEL:

Yes, in 1983(study) and 1994-2003 (business with EXXONMOBIL)

END MEMO US-TRAVEL:

START MEMO OTHER-TRAVEL:

1994-2003: France, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Nigeria, Mali, Ethiopia

1977-1982: France

1982: Great Britain

END MEMO OTHER-TRAVEL:

START MEMO EDUCATION:  
1984: Diploma in Management, Management College in Paris, France.  
1983: Diploma in management, European University of America, San Francisco, USA  
1982: Master in Economics, University of Paris XII, Creteil, Paris, France  
END MEMO EDUCATION:  
START MEMO MEMBERSHIPS:  
2004: President of Institute for Freedom and Democracy (ILD)  
1990-1993: President of Forum for Democracy and Development (FDD)  
1987-1989: Vice-President, Young Economic Chamber  
1984-1990: Member of Group Logos and Praxis (GLP)  
END MEMO MEMBERSHIPS:  
START MEMO PUBLICATIONS:  
Several articles published in local Congolese newspapers.  
END MEMO PUBLICATIONS:  
START MEMO SPEC-CONSID:  
None  
END MEMO SPEC-CONSID:  
FIRST-LANG: Other  
ENGL-READ: 3  
ENGL-SPEAK: 3  
ENGL-COMP: 3  
START OTHER-LANGS:  
OTHER-LANG: French  
OTHER-LANG-ID: FR  
READ: 4  
SPEAK: 4  
COMP: 4  
END OTHER-LANGS:  
START MEMO NOM-POST-OBJ:  
To allow Mr. Fayulu to observe the activities of citizen action groups that interact with U.S. elected officials at all levels which influence political, social, and economic change.  
END MEMO NOM-POST-OBJ:  
START MEMO NOM-POST-RCMD:  
Post would like the nominee to observe how citizen participation in the democratic process at the grassroots level can influence political, social, and economic change. And also learn about the structure of the U.S. Government, with emphasis on the federal system and the separation of powers.  
END MEMO NOM-POST-RCMD:  
START MEMO VIS-OBJ:  
  
END MEMO VIS-OBJ:  
START MEMO VIS-REC:  
Mr. Fayulu would like to learn about the administration of political parties in the United States, and visit the Institute for the Promotion of Democracy.  
END MEMO VIS-REC:  
NOMINATING-OFFICER:  
START MEMO NOMINATING-JUSTIFICATION: POL  
Mr. Fayulu is a Shell oil dealer. He is also the President of "L'Institut pour la Libertie and La Democratie". This organization has more than 100 members and its purpose is to promote the development of democratic culture. This is obviously of vital importance to the DRC as the country continues its transitional process towards democratic elections. Mr. Fayulu will benefit in particular from seeing how private sector volunteers can encourage and promote democracy at the grassroots level. The Country Team has approved this nominee.  
END MEMO NOMINATING-JUSTIFICATION:  
NOM-OFF: POL  
SPEAKER? Yes  
NOTIFY-EMB: No  
MEDIA? No  
HOME-STAY: No  
HOME-HOSP? Yes  
E-I-TYPE: NONE  
NOMINEE-ID: 90  
PERSON-ID: 92  
BIRTH-CNTRY-ID: CG  
CITIZ-CNTRY-ID: CG  
RES-CNTRY-ID: CG  
FIRST-LANG-ID: YZ  
E-I-TYPE-ID: N  
NOM-POST-ID: 4307  
NOM-FUNDING-CNTRY-ID: 0  
NOM-STATUS: N  
DS2019-ACTION: 1  
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SPONS-FUNDS: USD 9,188.000  
SPONS-AGENCY1:  
USGOVT-AGENCY1:  
US-AGENCY-AMT1: 0  
USGOVT-AGENCY2:  
US-AGENCY-AMT2: 0  
INTL-ORG1:  
INTL-ORG-AMOUNT1: 0  
INTL-ORG2:  
INTL-ORG-AMOUNT2: 0  
VIS-GOVT-AMT: 0  
COMMISSION: 0  
OTHER-AMOUNT: 0  
VIS-AMOUNT: 0  
VIS-CAT: 5

END BIO:  
END NOMINATION:  
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